

## Lake County, Florida Mitigation 20/20 TASK FORCE

## Goals for the Local Mitigation Planning

- 1. Local government will have the capability to develop, implement and maintain effective mitigation programs.
- 2. All sectors of the community will work together to create a disaster resistant community by the year 2020.
- 3. The community will have the capability to initiate and sustain emergency response operations during and after a disaster.
- 4. The continuity of local government operations will not be significantly disrupted by disasters.
- 5. Mitigation efforts will be a continuing priority activity to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the community's residents.
- 6. The policies and regulations of local government will support effective hazard mitigation programming throughout the community.
- 7. Community residents will have homes, institutions and places of employment that are less vulnerable to disasters.
- 8. The community's economic vitality will be less threatened by a disaster.
- 9. The community's critical infrastructure will be better protected and less vulnerable to a disaster.
- Members of the community will have opportunity to learn of the hazards threatening local areas and the techniques to minimize vulnerability to those hazards.
- 11. The Plan will be substantially completed by July 31, 2004 and updated regularly thereafter as required.